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POST WONDERS IF DEPARTMENT MIGHT CONSIDER IT USEFUL
IN A NAC COLLECTIVE MESSAGE TO ENCOURAGE INDIVIDUAL
POSTS TO REPORT, AND WHERE APPROPRIATE COMMENT UPON,
SPEECHES OF THE HEAD OF DELEGATION OF THEIR COUNTRY
IN THE NASC PLENARY AS THEY APPEAR IN LOCAL CAPITALS.
WITH UP TO 25-30 SPEAKERS INSCRIBED DAILY, WITH
SPEECHES BEING BROADCAST ONLY OVER CLOSED CIRCUIT
TO PRESS CENTER, WITH SLOWNESS AND DIFFICULTY IN
RECEIVING WRITTEN TEXTS, AND THE NECESSITY OF MAKING
OUR OWN SOMETIMES PAROCHIAL JUDGEMENTS ON WHAT PARTS
OF WHICH SPEECHES HAVE SOME WIDER SIGNIFICANCE, WE
WOULD WELCOME SUCH REPORTING FROM OTHER CAPITALS.
WE UNDERSTAND, FOR EXAMPLE, THAT INDIRA GANDHI'S
SPEECH HAS BEEN PRINTED IN FULL IN THE INDIAN PRESS,
AND REFTEL DESCRIBES EVEN TV COVERAGE OF THE
BOUMEDIENNE SPEECH, TO WHICH WE HAVE NO ACCESS.
WOULD REQUEST THAT ANY SUCH REPORTING BE REPEATED
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